UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

MICHAEL R. FANNING, et al.,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
vs.)	Case No. 4:04CV1246MLM
MACHECA TRANSPORT CO., d/b/a)	
GATEWAY COLD STORAGE, and)	
MACHECA TRANSPORT CO. d/b/a)	
GATEWAY REFRIGERATION,)	
Defendants.)	
	ORDER	

This matter is before the court on Defendant's Request for Supplemental Rule 16 Conference and Stay of Summary Judgment Proceedings. [Doc.16] Plaintiffs oppose the Motion. [Doc. 17] The court has considered the Motion and finds it should be granted in part and denied in part.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants' Request for Supplemental Rule 16 Conference is DENIED. [Doc. 16]

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants' Alternative Motion for Referral to ADR is GRANTED. [Doc. 16]

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this case is referred to ADR effective immediately and a referral to ADR Order shall be filed contemporaneously herewith.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Stay Ruling on Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment is GRANTED in part and DENIED in part. The Motion is denied without prejudice with leave to refile upon completion of ADR, if appropriate. [Doc. 16]

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall report to the court the outcome of the mediation and refile the Motion for Summary Judgment, if appropriate, no later than September 30, 2005.

/s/Mary Ann L. Medler
MARY ANN L. MEDLER
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated this <u>1st</u> day of August, 2005.